

## **THE CLAIMS**

1. A method comprising:  
receiving at least one digital image from memory of an imaging device; and  
performing a point-of-sale transaction for storing at least one digital image at a remote site.
2. The method of claim 1, further comprising uploading each paid-for digital image to the remote site.
3. The method of claim 2, wherein the Internet is used to upload each paid-for digital image.
4. The method of claim 1, further comprising printing a sales receipt for the transaction.
5. The method of claim 4, wherein the sales receipt provides identifying information about the digital images that were paid for.
6. The method of claim 4, wherein thumbnails of paid-for images are printed on the receipt.
7. The method of claim 1, wherein at least one digital image is received by reading memory that has been removed from the imaging device.
8. The method of claim 1, wherein the remote site is a server.
9. The method of claim 1, wherein the remote site is an image storage web site.

10. The method of claim 1, wherein the image is received from memory of a digital camera.

11. The method of claim 1, wherein the transaction is performed at a kiosk.

12. The method of claim 11, wherein the owner of the kiosk has a fee agreement with the owner of the remote storage site.

13. A method of storing a digital image captured by an imaging device, the method comprising:  
allowing the digital image to be accessed; and  
conducting a point-of-sale transaction for storing the digital image at a remote site.

14. The method of claim 13, wherein the digital images are accessed by removing memory from the imaging device and inserting the memory into a memory reader.

15. A system comprising:  
means for receiving digital images from imaging device memory; and  
means for performing point-of-sale transactions for storing at least some of the images at a remote site.

16. The system of claim 15, further comprising means for electronically transmitting paid-for images to the remote site.

17. The system of claim 15, further comprising means for printing sales receipts for the transactions.

18. The system of claim 15, further comprising the remote site.
19. A mini-kiosk comprising:
  - a memory card reader; and
  - a processor responsive to the card reader and programmed to perform a point-of-sale transaction for sending digital images to a remote storage site.
20. The mini-kiosk of claim 19, further comprising a data communication device, responsive to the processor, for sending the digital images to the remote site.
21. The mini-kiosk of claim 19, further comprising at least one device, coupled to the processor, for entering payment information.
22. The mini-kiosk of claim 19, further comprising a receipt printer coupled to the processor; whereby the processor can command the printer to print out receipts of the transactions.
23. The mini-kiosk of claim 22, wherein the processor commands the printer to print receipts including thumbnails of paid-for images.
24. An article for a machine having a processor and an interface, the article comprising:
  - computer memory; and
  - a program encoded in the computer memory, the program, when executed, instructing the processor to receive digital images via the interface, determine a price for storing the digital images at a remote site, process payment information, and send paid-for digital images to the remote site.